

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Applicant requests that the paragraph beginning on line 7 of page 16 be replaced with the following amended paragraph:

In a plate-shaped member 80P of the camera body 80A, an LCD panel 110 is formed. In the LCD panel 110, a front side display panel 110F is formed on the front surface 80F, and a rear side display panel 110B is formed on the rear surface 80B. In the front surface of the digital still camera 80F, a front back-light attaching space 82A which is a space for attaching the U-shaped back-light unit 90 is provided, and on the rear surface of the digital still camera 80B, a rear back-light attaching space 82B for attaching the back-light unit 90 is also provided. The front back-light attaching space 82A and the rear back-light attaching space 82B are forming a single space by connecting to each other. The size and shape of the front back-light attaching space 82A and the rear back-light attaching space 82B, correspond to the size and shape of the back-light unit 90. The front and the rear back-light attaching spaces 82A and 82B are connected to each other to form a single space 82. 81 is the lens barrel that is described in the first embodiment.

Applicant requests that the paragraph beginning on line 11 of page 19 be replaced with the following amended paragraph:

In the case where the first back-light unit part 90A of the back-light unit 90 is attached in the front back-light attaching space 82A, light is emitted by the light-emitting surface 108 inside the back-light unit 90, and the back-light unit hood 94 opens by rotating about the first rotation center axis 96 at the same time. As a result, light is

emitted from the first back-light unit member 90A to the rear surface 80B, then an image 112 shown on a rear panel surface 110Y of the LCD panel 110 is observed by a user through the rear display panel 110B and the rear back-light attaching space 82B at the rear surface 80B (see Fig.24). Natural light, which is labeled as DL in figure 23, radiated to the LCD panel 110 is intercepted by the back-light unit hood 94, therefore, good visibility is possible for the user (see Fig.23).